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Applicants : Jingyue Jue et al.  
Serial No. : 10/702,203 Examiner: Riley, Jezia  
Filed : November 4, 2003 Art Unit: 1637  
For : MASSIVE PARALLEL METHOD FOR DECODING DNA AND  
RNA

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Sir:

COMMUNICATION TO CORRECT ERROR IN FILING RECEIPT

This Communication is submitted after the mailing of a Notice of Allowance in connection with the above-identified application. The issue fee is due December 6, 2007 and has not yet been paid. Accordingly, this Communication is being timely filed.

This Communication is filed to request the issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt in connection with the subject application. Recently applicants' undersigned attorney has become aware of an error in the official Updated Filing Receipt issued for the subject application, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Specifically, the filing date for the subject application is listed incorrectly.

A corrected Filing Receipt should read as follows:

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11/04/2003--

Applicants note that the correct filing date may be found on the Postcard Receipt to which the United States Patent and Trademark Office affixed the Date Stamp Sticker showing the correct filing date of November 4, 2003. A copy of the Postcard Receipt is attached hereto as Exhibit B. Accordingly, applicants request that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued.

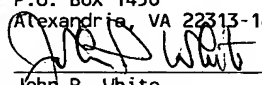
If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing consideration of this Communication, applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Patent Office to telephone him at the number provided below.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Communication. However, if any fee is required authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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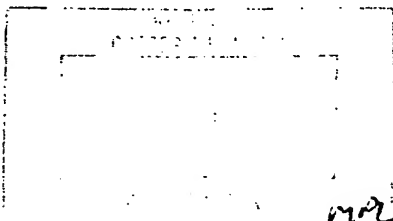
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**CONFIRMATION NO. 7101****UPDATED FILING RECEIPT**

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**Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant**

This application is a DIV of 09/972,364 10/05/2001 PAT 6,664,079  
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and is a CIP of 09/684,670 10/06/2000 ABN

**Foreign Applications**

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Exhibit A

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**Title**

Massive parallel method for decoding DNA and RNA

**Preliminary Class**

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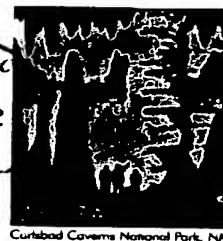
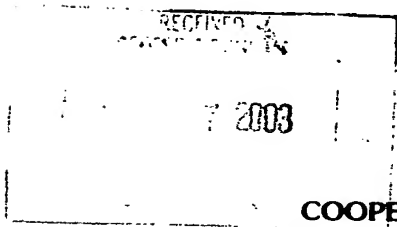
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Kindly acknowledge receipt of the accompanying

Rule 1.53(b) Continuation Application for MASSIVE PARALLEL METHOD FOR DECODING DNA AND RNA, Jingyue Ju et al., filed herewith, including transmittal letter (in triplicate), specification (72pp), claims (19pp), abstract (1p), a copy of a Declaration, a check in the amount of \$385.00, a Preliminary Amendment with Exhibit A and Exhibits 1-2, Figures (28 sheets), and an Express Mail Certificate of Mailing bearing Label No. EV 305643186 US dated November 4, 2003. by placing your receiving date stamp hereon and returning to us.



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